

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY - ORIGINAL APPLICATION			ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.																														
<p>As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:</p> <p>My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.</p> <p>I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled <u>A process for the simultaneous production of xylitol and ethanol</u></p> <p>the specification of which</p> <p>(check one)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____ and was amended on _____ (if applicable).</p> <p>I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.</p> <p>I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).</p> <p>I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)</u></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 5px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 25%;">COUNTRY</th> <th style="width: 25%;">APPLICATION NUMBER</th> <th style="width: 20%;">DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)</th> <th style="width: 20%;">DATE OF ISSUE (day, month, year)</th> <th style="width: 10%;">PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC 119</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Finland</td> <td>900220</td> <td>15/01/1990</td> <td></td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 5px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 30%;">APPLICATION NO.</th> <th style="width: 35%;">FILING DATE (day, month, year)</th> <th style="width: 35%;">STATUS (i.e. Patented, Pending, Abandoned)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>PCT/FI91/00011</td> <td>10/01/1991</td> <td>Pending</td> </tr> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>POWER OF ATTORNEY:</b> As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. (List name and registration number)</p> <p>Mr. Kenneth E. Madsen, Reg.No.20,721, Ms. Donna Praiss (Reg.No. 34,232 and Mr. Walter Scott, Reg.No. 30,588, of Kenyon &amp; Kenyon, One Broadway, New York, New York 10004 (212) 425-7200</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 5px;"> <tr> <td style="width: 60%; padding: 5px; vertical-align: top;"> <b>SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO:</b>   Kenneth E. Madsen  Kenyon &amp; Kenyon  One Broadway  New York, NY 10004 </td> <td style="width: 40%; padding: 5px; vertical-align: top;"> <b>DIRECT TELEPHONE CALLS TO:</b>  <small>(name and telephone number)</small>   Kenneth E. Madsen  (212) 425-7200 </td> </tr> </table>					COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	DATE OF ISSUE (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC 119	Finland	900220	15/01/1990		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO					<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE (day, month, year)	STATUS (i.e. Patented, Pending, Abandoned)	PCT/FI91/00011	10/01/1991	Pending							<b>SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO:</b>  Kenneth E. Madsen Kenyon & Kenyon One Broadway New York, NY 10004	<b>DIRECT TELEPHONE CALLS TO:</b> <small>(name and telephone number)</small>  Kenneth E. Madsen (212) 425-7200
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WHEREAS, 1. Heikki Heikkilä 2. Göran Hyöky 3. Leena Rähkila  
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production of xylitol and ethanol

for which we have made application for Letters  
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Patent of the United States of America;

AND WHEREAS, Xyrofin Oy, Kyllikinportti 2, SF-00240 Helsinki, FINLAND

desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor from the  
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NOW THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of  
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